

U.S. District Court
United States District Court for the Western District of Washington (Seattle)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 2:19-cv-00463-JLR

Sea Shepherd Legal v. National Oceanic and Atmospheric
Administration et al
Assigned to: Judge James L. Robart
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 03/28/2019
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

Plaintiff

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Defendant

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Defendant

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| Date Filed | # | Docket Text |
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| 03/28/2019 | 1 | COMPLAINT against All Defendants (Receipt # 0981-5707050) Attorney Brett Wade Sommermeyer added to party Sea Shepherd Legal(pty:pla), filed by Sea Shepherd Legal. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit, # 2 Exhibit, # 3 Exhibit, # 4 Exhibit, # 5 Exhibit, # 6 Exhibit, # 7 Exhibit, # 8 Exhibit, # 9 Civil Cover Sheet, # 10 Summons, # 11 Summons, # 12 Summons, # 13 Summons)(Sommermeyer, Brett) (Entered: 03/28/2019) |
| 03/28/2019 | 2 | PRAECIPE TO ISSUE SUMMONS re 1 Complaint, by Plaintiff Sea Shepherd Legal (Attachments: # 1 Summons, # 2 Summons, # 3 Summons, # 4 Summons)(Sommermeyer, Brett) (Entered: 03/28/2019) |
| 03/28/2019 | 3 | CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT indicating no Corporate Parents and/or Affiliates. Filed pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P 7.1. Filed by Sea Shepherd Legal (Sommermeyer, Brett) (Entered: 03/28/2019) |

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| 03/29/2019 | | Attorney Catherine E Pruett for Sea Shepherd Legal added; per 1 Complaint,. (PS) (Entered: 03/29/2019) |
| 03/29/2019 | | Judge James L. Robart added. (SNP) (Entered: 03/29/2019) |
| 03/29/2019 | 4 | Summons(es) Electronically Issued as to defendant(s) National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (Attachments: # 1 Summons, # 2 Summons, # 3 Summons) (SNP) (Entered: 03/29/2019) |
| 04/22/2019 | 5 | NOTICE of Appearance by attorney Michelle R. Lambert on behalf of Defendants National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 04/22/2019) |
| 04/22/2019 | 6 | ORDER REGARDING INITIAL DISCLOSURES AND JOINT STATUS REPORT by Judge James L. Robart. Joint Status Report due by 5/28/2019, FRCP 26f Conference Deadline is 5/6/2019, Initial Disclosure Deadline is 5/20/2019. (AD) (Entered: 04/22/2019) |
| 04/29/2019 | 7 | ANSWER to 1 Complaint, by National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.(Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 04/29/2019) |
| 05/28/2019 | 8 | STIPULATION AND PROPOSED ORDER <i>for FRCP 26(f) relief</i> by parties (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 05/28/2019) |
| 05/28/2019 | 9 | STIPULATION AND ORDER for Relief from 26(f) Conference, Initial Disclosures, and Joint Status Report re parties' 8 Stipulation. Signed by Judge James L. Robart. (SWT) (Entered: 05/29/2019) |
| 07/26/2019 | 10 | JOINT STATUS REPORT signed by all parties estimated Trial Days: 5. (Sommermeyer, Brett) (Entered: 07/26/2019) |
| 07/31/2019 | 11 | JOINT STATUS REPORT AND ORDER re Dkt. 10 . Parties will submit a joint briefing schedule to the Court by 8/1/2019. Signed by Judge James L. Robart. (SWT) (Entered: 07/31/2019) |
| 08/01/2019 | 12 | STIPULATION AND PROPOSED ORDER <i>re Proposed Joint Briefing Schedule</i> by parties (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 08/01/2019) |
| 08/06/2019 | 13 | STIPULATION AND ORDER <i>re Joint Briefing Schedule</i> per parties' 12 Stipulation. Dispositive motions due by 9/6/2019, Opposition to Dispositive motion and cross-motion due by 9/27/2019, Reply in support of dispositive motion and any opposition to cross-motion due by 10/11/2019, Reply in support of cross-motion due by 10/21/2019. Signed by Judge James L. Robart. (TH) (Entered: 08/06/2019) |
| 09/06/2019 | 14 | MOTION for Summary Judgment , filed by Defendants National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order) Noting Date 10/21/2019, (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 09/06/2019) |
| 09/06/2019 | 15 | DECLARATION of Rauch filed by Defendants National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration re 14 MOTION for Summary Judgment (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit, # 2 Exhibit, # 3 Exhibit, # 4 Exhibit, # 5 Exhibit, # 6 Exhibit, # 7 Exhibit, # 8 Complaint Exhibit, # 9 Exhibit) (Lambert, Michelle) Modified on 9/9/2019 (SWT). (Entered: 09/06/2019) |
| 09/06/2019 | 16 | DECLARATION of Young filed by Defendants National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration re 14 MOTION for Summary Judgment (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit) (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 09/06/2019) |
| 09/27/2019 | 17 | CROSS-MOTION AND RESPONSE re 14 MOTION for Summary Judgment ., filed by Plaintiff Sea Shepherd Legal. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit Declaration of Brett Sommermeyer in Support of Plaintiff's Combined Response and Cross-Motion for Summary Judgment, # 2 Exhibit, # 3 Exhibit, # 4 Exhibit, # 5 Exhibit, # 6 Exhibit, # 7 Exhibit, # 8 Exhibit, # 9 Exhibit, # 10 Exhibit, # 11 Exhibit, # 12 Exhibit, # 13 Exhibit, # 14 Exhibit, # 15 Exhibit, # 16 Exhibit, # 17 Exhibit, # 18 Exhibit, # 19 Exhibit) Noting Date 10/21/2019, (Sommermeyer, Brett) (Entered: 09/27/2019) |
| 10/10/2019 | 18 | STIPULATION AND PROPOSED ORDER <i>to stay briefing schedule</i> by parties (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 10/10/2019) |
| 10/11/2019 | 19 | ORDER granting parties' 18 Stipulated Motion to Stay the Dispositive Motion Briefing Schedule (Dkt. 13); directing the Clerk to remove Defendants' 14 MOTION for Summary Judgment, and Plaintiffs' 17 RESPONSE/CROSS-MOTION from its calendar. The parties shall file a Joint Status Report by no later than 11/8/2019. Signed by Judge James L. Robart. (SWT) (Entered: 10/11/2019) |

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| 11/08/2019 | 20 | Joint STATUS REPORT by Defendants National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 11/08/2019) |
| 11/12/2019 | 21 | ORDER: Joint Status Report due by 1/7/2020. Signed by Judge James L. Robart. (MW) (Entered: 11/12/2019) |